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Group Art Unit: 2814 Examiner: Farhani, D.
Atty. Docket No.: NS-4971 US
Title: Gate-Enhanced Junction Varactor
Assignee(s): National Semiconductor Corporation

Sir:

Transmitted herewith are the following documents for the above patent application:

- (1) Return Receipt Postcard
- (2) This Transmittal Letter (in duplicate)
- (3) RCE (1 p); and
- (4) Response to Office Action (16 pps.).

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**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION
UNDER 37 CFR 1.114**

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This is a Request for Continued Examination ("RCE") of the above patent application under 37 CFR 1.114.

Please enter or/and consider each following document which is enclosed or was previously submitted: Response to Office Action dated 17 June 2003.

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